

Certified Food Protection Manager Identification Card

In accordance with the District of Columbia's Food Code, Section 203.1 of Title 25-A of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations, the Division of Food will accept a National food manager **certificate for a period of three (3) years from the date of the exam** from one of the following food safety testing organizations:

- **Prometric, Inc.**
(Certified Food Manager Exam)
Telephone: (800) 624-2736
www.prometric.com
- **360training.com, Inc. (Learn2serve)**
(Food Safety Manager Training Certification)
Telephone: (877) 881-2235
www.360training.com
- **National Registry of Food Safety Professionals**
(Food Protection Manager Certification)
Telephone: (800) 446-0257
www.nrfsp.com
- **AboveTraining, Inc./StateFoodSafety.com**
(Food Manager Certification)
Telephone: (801) 494-1416
www.statefoodsafety.com
- **National Restaurant Association**
(ServSafe Food Manager)
Telephone: (800) 765-2122
www.servsafe.com
- **The Always Food Safe Company, LLC**
(Food Manager Certification)
Telephone: (844) 312-2011
<https://alwaysfoodsafecom/>

To obtain a DC-Issued Certified Food Protection Manager (CFPM) Identification Card, you must complete an application, **provide your national certificate from passing the final certification exam and test score** and payment of \$35 in-person or by mail. ID cards are **valid for three (3) years from the date of the exam.**

- **In Person***
899 North Capitol Street, NE, 1st Floor Processing Center, Washington, DC 20002
Monday – Friday: 8:30 am – 3:30 pm
- **By Mail**
DC Health, Food Safety & Hygiene Division, PO Box 37489, Washington, DC 20013

For Renewals - you must take and pass the national food safety certification exam **every** three (3) years and provide the **new** certificate and test score* with your expired DC Health-issued ID Card and one (1) form of identification along with payment of \$35.

For Duplicates - The replacement cost of a current ID card is \$15. You must complete the application along with payment. Replacement or duplicate ID cards will be issued with the current expiration date.

Until further notice, the Division of Food will not accept Food Manager Certification cards issued by other jurisdictions. However, you can take the certification exam in any state.

The Division of Food no longer approves the curriculum of trainers offering food safety manager courses or recommends training organizations. Training is also offered at many universities and other training organizations.

*For in person service you must have a valid form of identification, such as a driver's license, passport, school ID, etc.

*ServSafe certificates are issued without test scores.